

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

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EQUIPMENT AND METHOD FOR  
MEASURING DENTAL SHADE

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Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please  
amend the claims as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which  
begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.